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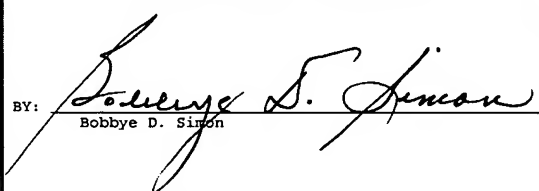
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For: "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
PROVIDING NON-INVASIVE
ULTRASOUND HEATING OF THE
PREOPTIC ANTERIOR
HYPOTHALAMUS"

) Group Art Unit: 3739

) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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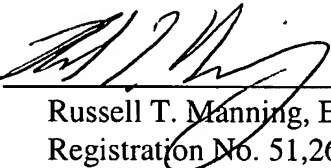
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	a.	4,865,047	08/12/1989	Chou, et al.	128	784	
	b.	4,662,383	05/05/1987	Sogawa, et al.	128	784	
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	d.	WO 99/07314	08/10/1998	Ingle, et al.				

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